

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claims 1 and 14 as follows:

1. (Currently Amended) A display apparatus, comprising:

a display panel;

a chassis comprising a base, ~~that supports~~ the base of the chassis supporting the
display panel, the chassis further comprising a flange extending from an upper edge of the
base as a single body and arranged ~~formed~~ along ~~[[an]]~~ the upper edge of the base and
~~arranged~~ adapted to prevent the base from bending, the flange being perforated by a hole;

a printed circuit board with parts mounted thereon, the printed circuit board being
mounted on the base of the chassis and being adapted to drive the display panel; and

a case accommodating the display panel, the chassis, and the printed circuit board.

2. (Original) The display apparatus of claim 1, the case being perforated by a
plurality of air inlet holes in a rear lower portion and a plurality of air outlet holes in a rear
upper portion.

3. (Original) The display apparatus of claim 1, the flange being perforated by a
plurality of air passage holes.

4. (Original) The display apparatus of claim 1, the hole perforating the flange being

1 rectangular in shape.

1 5. (Original) The display apparatus of claim 1, the hole perforating the flange being
2 elliptical in shape.

1 6. (Original) The display apparatus of claim 1, the chassis further comprising a
2 reinforcing rib.

1 7. (Original) The display apparatus of claim 1, wherein the base and the flange of the
2 chassis are formed as a single integrated monolithic unit.

1 8. (Original) The display apparatus of claim 2, the hole perforating the flange being
2 in operational relationship with the plurality of air outlet holes perforating the case.

1 9. (Original) The display apparatus of claim 2, the air inlet holes and the air outlet
2 holes being on a rear cover of the case, the flange on the chassis being essentially
3 perpendicular to the base of the chassis and extending towards said rear cover.

1 10. (Original) The display apparatus of claim 2, the hole in the flange being near the
2 air outlet holes in the rear cover.

1 11. (Original) The display apparatus of claim 2, the display apparatus being absent
2 of a fan.

1 12. (Original) The display apparatus of claim 2, the display panel being a plasma
2 display panel.

1 13. (Original) The display apparatus of claim 1, the display apparatus further
2 comprising flexible printed circuits adapted to drive the display.

1 14. (Currently Amended) A display apparatus, comprising:
2 a display panel displaying variable images;
3 a chassis comprising a base, the base of the chassis supporting the display panel, the
4 chassis further comprising a flange ~~formed along~~ extending from an upper edge of the base
5 as a single body and arranged along the upper edge of the base, the flange being ~~arranged~~
6 adapted to prevent the base of the chassis from bending, the flange being perforated by a
7 hole;

8 a printed circuit board with parts mounted thereon, the printed circuit board being
9 mounted on the base of the chassis, the parts on the printed circuit board being adapted to
10 drive the display panel; and

11 a case housing the display panel, the chassis, and the printed circuit board, the case
12 having a rear cover perforated by two sets of holes, the hole on the flange being near one of

13 said two sets of holes in said rear cover.

1 15. (Original) The display apparatus of claim 14, the two sets of holes in the rear
2 cover and the hole in the flange of the chassis being arranged to provide less obstruction to
3 convection currents brought about by hot air rising from the printed circuit board and the
4 parts thereon being heated while driving the display panel.

1 16. (Original) The display apparatus of claim 14, the printed circuit board being on
2 a rear side of the chassis base, the display being on a front side of the chassis base, the flange
3 being on a rear side of the chassis base.

1 17. (Original) The display apparatus of claim 14, the display apparatus being a
2 plasma display.

1 18. (Original) The display apparatus of claim 14, the flange being perforated by a
2 plurality of elliptical-shaped holes along an entire length of the flange.

1 19. (Original) The display apparatus of claim 14, the chassis further comprising a
2 reinforcing rib attached to an end of the flange opposite the base, the reinforcing rib running
3 along an entire length of the flange.

1 20. (Original) The display apparatus of claim 18, the chassis further comprising a
2 reinforcing rib attached to an end of the flange opposite the base, the reinforcing rib running
3 along an entire length of the flange.